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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated November 6, 2002, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on March 6, 2003. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1-4, 6-8, 10-15, 17-20, 22-23, and 25-28 to read as follows:

1. (Amended) A radio frequency transponder, comprising:  
an antenna for receiving an interrogation signal;  
a memory that stores an information code; and  
a phase modulator comprising:  
a switch having a control terminal and first and second conduction terminals, the  
first conduction terminal being coupled to the antenna;

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